

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2143****PATENT
(5468-08600/AUS920010401US1)****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re Application of:
Kumhyr et al.

Serial No. 09/966,833

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For: **DETERMINING AVAILABILITY OF
PARTICIPANTS OR TECHNIQUES
FOR COMPUTER-BASED
COMMUNICATION**Group Art Unit: 2143
Examiner: Jerry B. Dennison

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.116**Box: AF
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the final Office Action mailed May 19, 2005 to further
highlight reasons why the application is in condition for allowance. Please amend the case as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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